

## Update 7-15-2015

### HART Ceremony - Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada (13-15 Nov 2015)

All,

I'd like to invite the RMR in participating in the HART (Honoring Allies and Remembering Together) Ceremony. This will be the 2nd year that RMR will spend the weekend in Canada and participate in a joint ceremony to honor all American and Canadian veterans who gave the ultimate sacrifice for their country.

[HART Ceremony](#)

In 2014, we had approximately 50 Cadets and Senior Members attend, and it was a great success. After the ceremony ended Saturday morning, we all changed into civilian clothes and played volleyball, and other games. We also had plenty of time to learn about each others Cadet Programs, and make new friends. This is an excellent opportunity to meet members of the Royal Army, Sea, and Air Cadets.

Here's a video from last year. <http://calgary.ctvnews.ca/video>

Websites of the Royal Canadian Cadets:

<http://aircadetleague.com/>

<http://www.armycadetleague.ca/>

<http://www.navyleague.ca/>

The important information:

Dates: 13-15 Nov 2015. We will drive to Lethbridge, Alberta on Friday, and spend Friday and Saturday night there. On Sunday we will wake-up, eat breakfast, and drive home.

Location: Vimy Ridge Armoury in Lethbridge, Alberta (About 1.5 hours North of the Montana/Canadian border). Cadets and Senior Members will sleep in the Armoury (that's how Canadians spell it), but Senior Members can pay for their own hotel room.

Registration: Will open the first week of September, and close the 3rd week of October. I will send out another email in a month with further details and the registration hyperlink.

Cost: TBD, but will probably be around \$30 for the weekend. That does NOT include transportation. The Region may be able to assist with fuel cost, (more info to follow) but also check with your Wings. In addition, you have four months to raise money.

Passport or Passport Cards: MANDATORY if 19 and older. If you are interested in getting a passport or passport card, follow the information on this website. But don't take too long to apply. I had to wait over two months to get mine. How to apply for a passport

If you are 18 or younger and you are a naturalized, or US citizen, you DO NOT need a passport or a passport card. You just need to bring a copy of your birth certificate. This is an excerpt from the following website: Children - Traveling into the U.S. as Canadian Citizen

"Groups of Children: As of June 1, 2009, U.S. and Canadian citizen children under age 19 arriving by land or sea from contiguous territory and traveling with a school group, religious group, social or cultural organization, or sports team, may also present an original or copy of his or her birth certificate, a Consular Report of Birth Abroad, a Naturalization Certificate, or a Canadian Citizenship Card. More Information can be found here."

FYI...This email was sent to all: WG CCs, WG DCPs, Squadron CCs, and Squadron DCCs which is about 129 people! Please help me spread the word of such an incredible opportunity.

Thanks!

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